



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re Application of:

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For: A METHOD OF AND SYSTEM FOR
EVALUATING CASH FLOW
ELEMENTS OF A BUSINESS
ENTERPRISE

) Examiner:

) Art Unit: 2163

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, the Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments.

IN THE CLAIMS

The Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments. Cancel claims 1-42, add claims 43 – 85

43 43. A computer-implemented method for valuing elements of value of a business enterprise, comprising:

organizing data related to the value of the business enterprise by the 3 components of value and two or more elements of value where at least one element of value is intangible,